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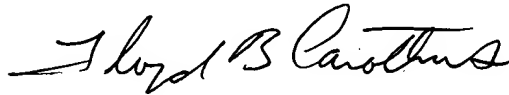
In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed May 20, 2005, Applicants enclose for substitution the corrected sections of the Amendment which are Section A) Amendment to the claims: and D) Remarks:.

Accordingly, kindly substitute the enclosed pages 3 through 6 for the Amendment document filed May 9, 2005 in substitution for original pages 3 through 5.

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